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Dear Phil:

Thank you for your kind invitation to attend the forthcoming Conference for Corporation Executives. The subject of the Conference - The Challenge of Soviet Bloc Economic Expansion - is a timely one. Unfortunately, previous commitments prevent me from attending.

I should, however, like to send one of my senior economists, Mr. [redacted] to the Conference as my representative. Will you please let me know if this will be all right?

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With best regards,

Sincerely,

Signed

Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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